House Resolution No. 738

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Show-Me State employees, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Terry A. Surface of Jefferson City, Missouri, will retire from his position as Tax Audit Review Specialist with the Missouri Department of Revenue, Division of Taxation and Collection, Field Audit, on March 31, 2002, after a thirty-year career in state government; and

Whereas, during his impressive tenure with the Department of Revenue, Terry Surface also served as Corporate Auditor and Supervising Corporate Auditor; and

Whereas, Terry Surface distinguished himself by the skilled manner in which he oversaw the team that re-wrote the Franchise Regulations in 1995; and

Whereas, a member of the Association of Government Accountants since 1989, Terry Surface has also enjoyed recognition by being a Lions Club Host, a former Babe Ruth manager, and a former Booster Club President for Track and Field; and

Whereas, Terry Surface is a remarkable individual who will undoubtedly look back over the past three decades and reminisce about his many worthwhile experiences and his special relationships with revered colleagues while basking in the glow of a successful career now reaching its end; and

Whereas, Terry Surface has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include his wife, Geraldine Surface; his children, Christy Yanskey and Timothy Surface; and his granddaughters, Kayla and Morgan, all of whom have brought great pride and happiness into his life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in expressing our deep gratitude for the superb service that Terry Surface has rendered to the Show-Me State and in wishing him the long, enjoyable, and fruitful retirement he so justly deserves with ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Terry A. Surface, as a measure of our esteem for him.

Offered by	
	Representative Carl M. Vogel
	District No. 114

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 738, adopted March 13, 2002.